



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: AVIVI et al.

Application No.: 09/660,328

Conf. No. 6523

Filed: September 12, 2000

For: FACILE DETECTION OF CANCER AND CANCER RISK BASED...

Art Unit: 1743

Examiner: K. R. Horlick

Washington, D.C.

Atty.'s Docket: AVIVI=1A

Date: May 13, 2004

THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
2011 South Clark Place
Customer Window, Mail Stop: Non-Fee Amendment
Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a [X] Amendment [] _____

in the above-identified application.

[XX] Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

[XX] No additional fee is required.

[] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS
TOTAL	* 45	MINUS ** 61	0
INDEP.	* 3	MINUS *** 7	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 9	\$
x 43	\$
+ 145	\$
ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL	

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 18	\$
x 86	\$
+ 290	\$
TOTAL	

OR

OR

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed.

[XX] Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

[] It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entity

Response Filed Within

- [] First - \$ 55.00
- [] Second - \$ 210.00
- [] Third - \$ 475.00
- [] Fourth - \$ 740.00

Month After Time Period Set

Other Than Small Entity

Response Filed Within

- [] First - \$ 110.00
- [] Second - \$ 420.00
- [] Third - \$ 950.00
- [] Fourth - \$ 1480.00

Month After Time Period Set

[] Less fees (\$ _____) already paid for ____ month(s) extension of time on _____.

[] Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-4035 in the amount of \$ _____.

[] Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$ _____.

[] A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached (check no. _____).

[XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 17, 2004,
please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

Attachments including an executed substitute declaration, a copy
of the Petition to Correct Inventorship Under 37 CFR §1.48(b)
filed on June 19, 2003, and 3 pertinent references (Goren et al.;
Singh et al.; and Feinberg et al.) are attached following page 17
of this paper.